

## Administrators Say Private Hospitals Care For More Poor Than Berrien General

The administrators of the four private general hospitals in Berrien county have taken a unanimous stand supporting the action of the Southwestern Michigan Comprehensive Health Planning association relative to the future of Berrien General hospital.

The planning association directors resolved that before taxing the public to keep the acute care section of Berrien General open, that a complete plan for health care in the county should first be made available to the public. Planning efforts have been in progress for about three years but the comprehensive plan is not yet completed.

The administrators took their stand with the planning group as Berrien county voters face a decision in the Aug. 8 primary election on millage to help operate Berrien General and to build a new professional services wing.

The administrators said they are willing to join the county

in asking the state health department to extend its Oct. 1 deadline for closing the acute care section unless definite plans for improvements are produced. They said they feel the health department would extend the deadline to allow completion of a comprehensive plan for health facilities in the county.

As it stands today, the "county hospital" no longer is a county hospital, the administrators maintain. It does not accept the poor, as the law says a county hospital must. The private hospitals furnish far more free care to the indigents than Berrien General hospital does, their statistics show.

The administrators are: C.T. Loftus of Benton Harbor Mercy hospital; Robert Bradburn of St. Joseph Memorial; Howard Park of Watervliet Community, and Mrs. Jane Davis of Niles Pawating.

Without a comprehensive plan to tell what the future

should be for Berrien General, their opposition is to two proposals on the Aug. 8 primary ballot. One seeks .3 of a mill for 19 years to help meet an operating deficit reported by the BGH board of trustees. The other proposal asks approval of a \$2.25 million bond issue to build an addition that will embrace new surgery, obstetrics, X-ray, pharmacy, outpatient clinic and other service facilities.

The opposing private hospital administrators offer statistics to show that the facilities of their own institutions are more than ample to care for the patients who are now served by the general, acute care division of BGH.

Berrien General itself reports it has 73 beds in its general hospital division. Another 176 beds, it reports, are devoted to extended care — the old folks.

Most particularly, the four administrators maintain Berrien General has not served the function of a county

hospital for the last five or six years and, thus, that county taxpayers should not be asked to foot any bills for its operation or build an addition, unless a comprehensive plan says that is the best course.

Berrien General, they say, does not accept the medical indigents (the working poor who are not on welfare), except those who walk in of their own accord.

State Act 109, under which Berrien General is designated to operate, requires that a county hospital accept all medical indigents, including those referred by other hospitals. With BGH refusing to accept medical indigents from other hospitals, the four administrators contend their own paying patients have to be charged more to make up the losses the private hospitals incur through free care to nonpaying

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## Eagleton Future Doubtful As Democrats' No. 2 Man

CUSTER, S.D. (AP) — Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton's future as the Democratic candidate for vice president appeared to be in serious doubt today, but presidential nominee George McGovern said any decision would be made by the two candidates together.

The South Dakota senator,

### Connection Is French, But Vanilla

SAINT TROPEZ, France (AP) — Reports of a mysterious laboratory in a Saint Tropez garage brought police running, thinking they might be on the trail of another link in the French-U.S. heroin traffic.

They found a lab all right, making clandestine ice cream. Daniel Auclair, convicted once before in a similar case, was charged with violation of hygiene laws.

PHONEGRAMS are fun to play and may win you valuable prizes. Today's game appears on page 8.

meanwhile, prepared to leave his vacation spot near here today to fly from Rapid City to Mitchell, his boyhood home, and Aberdeen, for a speech to the state Democratic convention. He then planned to return to Washington.

McGovern said in an interview Friday night that both he and Eagleton are deliberating "over the proper course." Earlier, McGovern had expressed "1,000 per cent" support for his running mate, who has disclosed that on three occasions between 1960 and 1966 he was hospitalized for nervous exhaustion.

Any decision about Eagleton's future, McGovern said outside his cabin at his nearby Sylvan Lake retreat, won't be made "without his concurrence."

Earlier in the evening, speaking to reporters as he tabled in the dining room of the Sylvan Lake Lodge, McGovern said, "It's Eagleton's decision to make. Whatever he decides, I'll stand by him."

Aides said the phrase "without his concurrence" was designed to make clear that McGovern wasn't leaving the issue solely up to Eagleton, who has made increasingly strong statements about his intention to remain on the ticket.

Eagleton said Friday in San Francisco that there was "no possibility whatsoever" that he would leave the ticket unless McGovern asked. He added: "I'm confident that George McGovern is not going to ask me to withdraw."

The general impression among observers in Custer, although no one would say so directly, was that McGovern was trying to send a message to Eagleton. The mounting pressure on Eagleton to withdraw began Tuesday with his disclosure about the treatments, which included psychiatric care and shock treatments on two occasions, and has mounted since.

In San Francisco, Eagleton staff assistant Gene Godley reiterated late Friday night that Eagleton had not decided to withdraw.

Eagleton had retired for the night and Secret Service agents refused to let newsmen approach his hotel room in San Francisco.

Godley said Eagleton had not spoken to McGovern since noon Friday.

Although McGovern said, "We ought to get together at the end of the week and see

### Lake Temperature

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where we're at," a decision could come sooner.

They could meet as early as Sunday. McGovern is due back in Washington in the early morning hours Sunday, and Eagleton is also scheduled to return from his first campaign

swing.

McGovern's statement that a change was under consideration came amid continuing rumors in Washington that a decision had already been made to drop Eagleton, an unprecedented move that

would require a meeting of the newly revamped Democratic National Committee to choose a new Democratic vice presidential candidate.

Each state's national committee members would cast a vote proportionate to the

state's delegates to the recent Democratic National Convention.

The new committee, still in the process of being formed, is to have 278 delegates from the

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TENSE MOMENTS are commonplace these days for Sen. Thomas Eagleton, Democratic vice presidential nominee shown here mopping his brow under television lights Friday at press conference in San Francisco. Associated Press today reported Eagleton's future as No. 2 man on ticket "is doubtful". (AP Wirephoto)

## South Haven Chief Hurt But Gets Men

BY TOM RENNER

South Haven Correspondent  
SOUTH HAVEN — City Police Chief Otto Buelow suffered minor injuries yesterday while apprehending three teenagers in connection with a burglary of a Grand Junction store.

The action started in the central business district of South Haven when Buelow attempted to warn a motorist of a minor traffic violation. Buelow said he was standing outside the vehicle and cautioning the driver about an improper U-turn when the car backed up in an attempt to speed off.

The police chief, 54, opened the door from the driver's side, grabbed the steering wheel with one hand and attempted to disengage the gear shift with the other hand as the car sped eastward on Phoenix street.

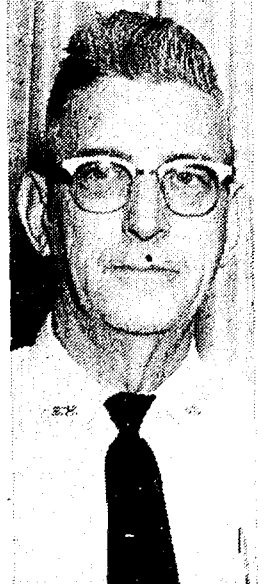
The car continued for more than a block, narrowly missing a pedestrian and oncoming traffic. Realizing that the

police chief was there to stay, the driver slammed on the brakes and attempted to flee. The alert action of a tow truck driver, Dale Wickham of South Haven, prevented the driver and two passengers from escaping. Wickham blocked the path of car with his truck and ran to assist Buelow.

Charged with reckless driving, driving without an operator's license and carrying a concealed weapon was Victor Hicks, 17, of Chicago. Police said the car had been reported stolen from Chicago and may have been involved in an armed robbery there.

Police say they believe the driver and his two juvenile passengers, a 15-year-old from Grand Junction and a 16-year-old from Eaton Rapids, were involved in the burglary late Thursday of Johnny's market, County Road 388, Grand Junction.

Officers said a handgun found in the car was among several rifles and pistols taken in the burglary. Police later

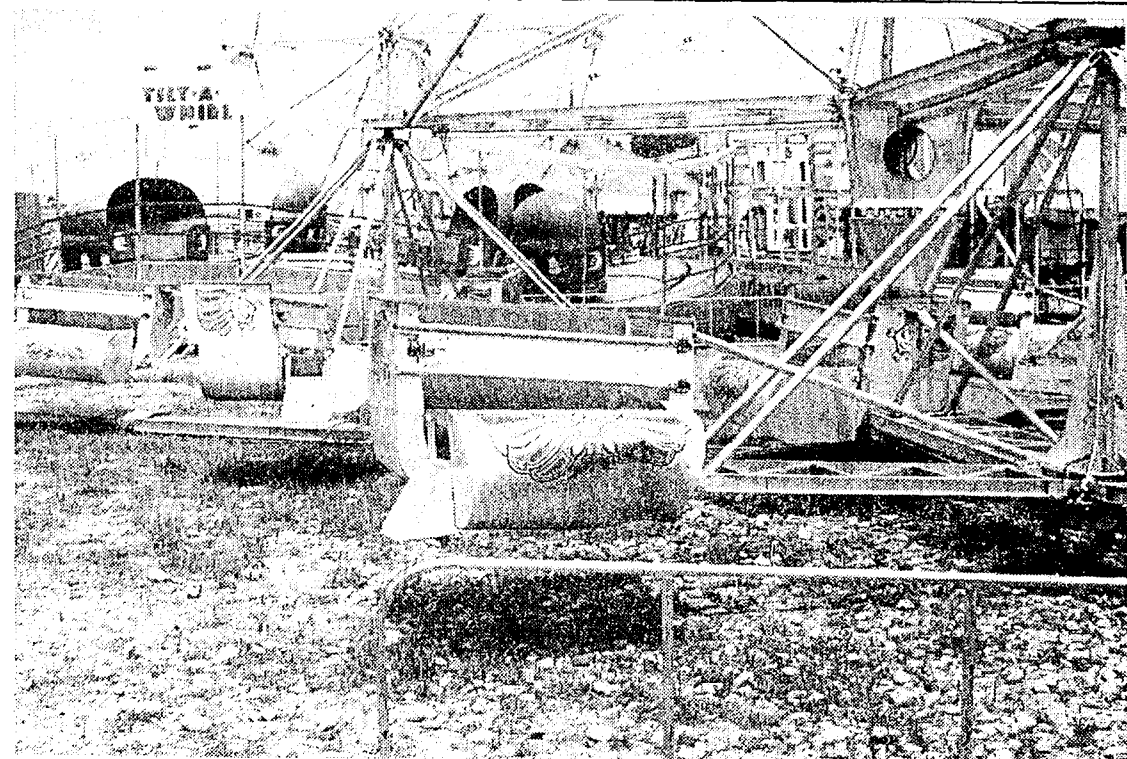


OTTO BUELOW  
South Haven Chief

recovered seven rifles, three handguns, ammunition, liquor and cigarettes from a field on 56th street, north of 102nd avenue.

Chief Buelow suffered a wrenched right knee and shoulder bruises. He also damaged his glasses. The chief did not require medical attention.

Hicks was scheduled to appear in Seventh district court today while the youths were to be petitioned to Van Buren County Probate court.



THE SCRAMBLER: This is the amusement ride from which a 20-year-old farm worker plunged Thursday night at the Van Buren youth fair. The victim, Mitchell Langford, was fatally injured in the fall. The ride was

ordered shut down until it could be inspected. The car in which Langford was riding has been removed and is not pictured. (Staff photo)

## Ride Victim Died Of Cut Spinal Cord, Official Says

BY STEVE McQUOWN

Paw Paw Bureau  
HARTFORD — A young farm worker killed in an amusement ride accident at the Van Buren youth fair Thursday night died of a severed spinal cord, the Van Buren sheriff's department said Friday afternoon.

Sheriff Richard Stump said Mitchell Langford, 20, either was thrown or leaped for safety from the passenger car of an amusement ride called the "scrambler." The car had become loosened from its support, Stump said, and tilted forward, scraping the ground as it continued to circle.

On the ground, Langford apparently was struck by part of the machinery as it passed over him, Stump said. Uninjured, however, was Steven Woods, 18, of Hartford,

a passenger in the car with Langford. Stump said Woods managed to remain in the car until it came to a stop.

Representatives of the state department of labor came to the fairgrounds Friday and ordered amusement company operators to shut down the ride.

The ride was part of the carnival operated by World of Pleasure amusement company based in Coldwater, the sheriff's department said.

The amusement ride had been inspected by state officials earlier this year, Stump said. Youth fair officials said it was the first death in a 14-year association of the fair and the amusement company.

Each year, the amusement rides are inspected by fair officials to determine if the rides have passed a state in-

spection, said M. J. Conklin, and Duane Castor, youth fair co-managers.

Langford was from Detroit but was working at the time of his death on the Adam Mayer farm located between Covert and Bangor, the sheriff said.

An autopsy conducted Friday morning revealed the severed spinal cord and other injuries, including a fractured rib cage, Stump said. Mr. Langford was born Aug. 9, 1951, in Detroit. Surviving are his widow Susan; a son Mitchell Jr., and a daughter Angela; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Langford Sr., of Hartford; four brothers, Herbert Dickens of Florida, Ronnie Dickens, Gary and Larry Langford all of Inkster, Mich., and a sister, Miss Betty Sue Langford of Detroit.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Hawley funeral home, Paw Paw.

Burial will be in Maple Hill cemetery, Hartford.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 this evening.

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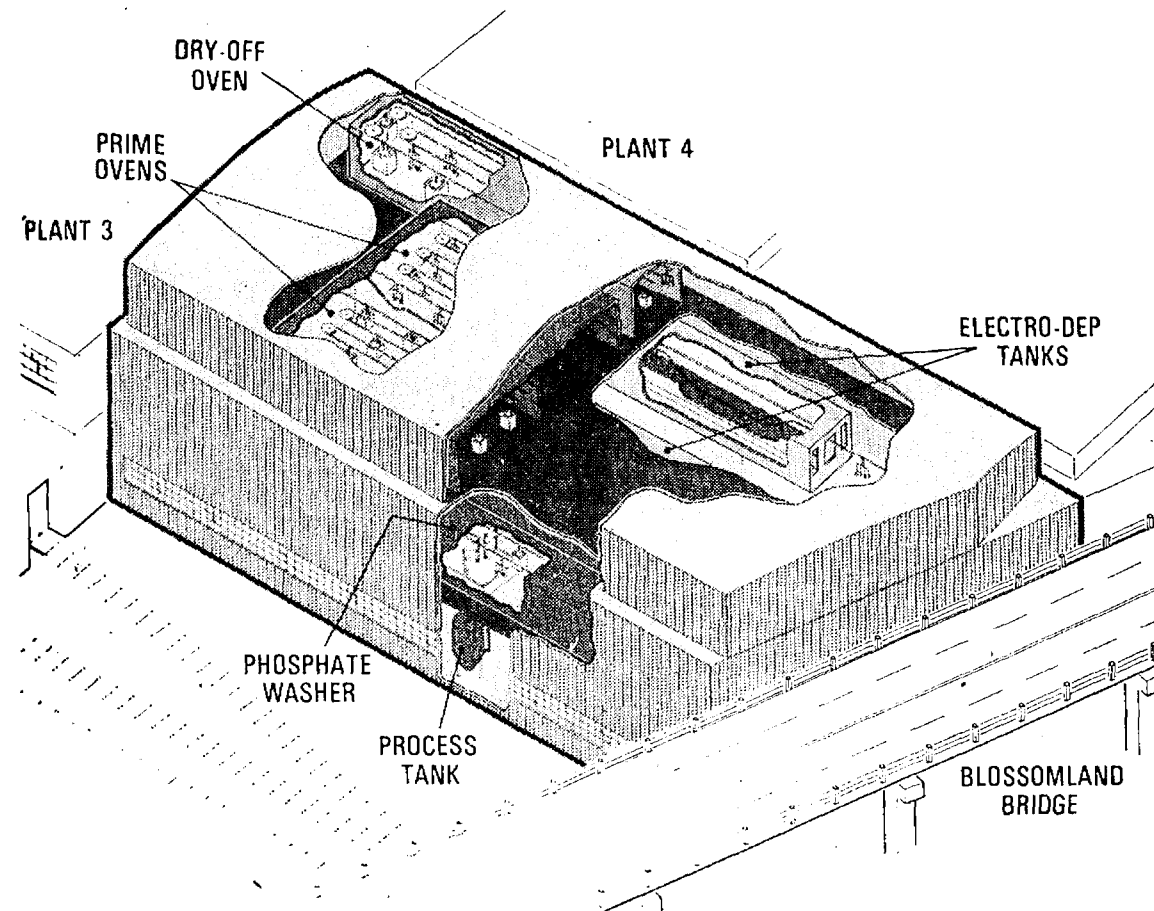
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It is hard to see what Mr. Lewis would have "any President" do about this supposedly urgent "problem." Forbid outward migration? Compel inward migration? The gap he frets about is built into the logic of urban growth. Nor is it surprising that the gap should widen: the outward movers are the more energetic, the better educated, and so on.





## Whirlpool Plans \$3 Million Addition



**WHIRLPOOL PROJECT:** This is drawing of three-story addition to Whirlpool's St. Joseph division that will handle cleaning and base coat painting of appliances. Cost will be \$3 million for building and

equipment. Construction is slated to start early in August with the facility going into operation by next July.

## St. Joseph Plant To Get Improved Appliance Painting System

Whirlpool Corporation's St. Joseph Division today announced plans for a \$3 million addition to house the base paint coat application system for appliances.

Larry Hauch, manager of plant engineering, said a three-story addition of 82,000 feet will be built onto Plant 4 between Plant 3 and Blossomland bridge.

The addition, costing \$1 million, will house a new \$2 million prime paint system.

The new paint system will consist of an eight-stage washer and metal conditioner for cleaning of appliances before painting.

The cleaning process will include the latest equipment for recycling and filtering solutions — drastically reducing the amount of waste water requiring treatment before discharge.

After cleaning, the appliance parts to be painted will be immersed in one of two 110-foot long electrodeposition coating tanks, each containing about 20,000 gallons of water-based paint. Hauch said use of water based paint will almost completely eliminate atmospheric hydrocarbon emissions.

The emissions from the plant currently are within legal limits, Hauch said, and Whirlpool is not under orders to make corrections. "This is

something you do when installing a new system," he explained.

The present system involves paint thinned with solvents.

Two paint curing ovens will be on the top story.

Construction is scheduled to start in August with completion

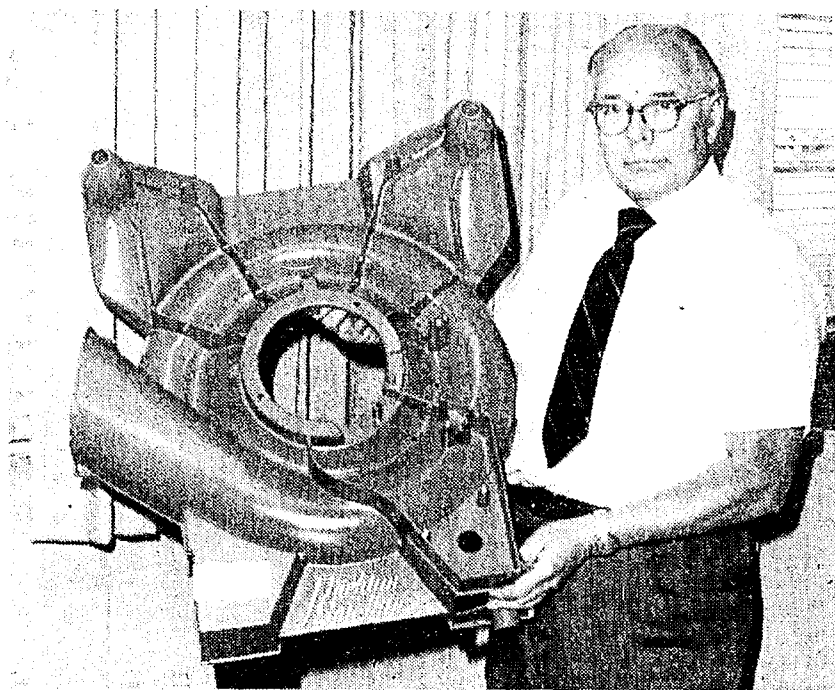
of the building by March, 1973. Contractor is Pearson Construction Co. of Benton Harbor. The paint system will be built and installed by DeVilbiss Corp., Toledo, Ohio.

The new facility is scheduled to go into production by July, 1973. Hauch said it will replace

one built in 1948.

The finish coats of paint on appliances will continue to be applied by another process.

The division this year opened a \$1.3 million waste water collection and treatment plant on the west mouth of the Paw Paw river.



**WINS INTERNATIONAL AWARD:** R.E. Robbins, sales manager for Paramount Die Casting, Red Arrow Highway, St. Joseph, holds the magnesium lawnmower deck the company designed and manufactures for Parkton Corporation of Ellsworth, Kansas. The die won first place, and \$500, in the 1972 International Magnesium Pressure Die Casting Competition held in Venice June 6th. Twenty-four companies from nine nations entered 124 dies in the competition. (Staff Photo)

## Bigger Turnout Seen For SJ Millage Vote

More St. Joseph school district voters are expected to ballot Monday on a 4.3 operating millage levy than did June 12 when a 4.3 mill tax was defeated.

Polls will be open Monday from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. in four schools, Upton Junior high, St. Joseph Senior High, North Lincoln and Brown elementary.

Because of conflicts paper ballots will be used. There is only one question on the ballot, however, the request to levy 4.3 mills for school operations.

A group of 180 volunteers have been contacting parents of school children to see if they are registered and to supply them with information on school finances. They also will remind them to vote election day.

Basically the school administration has been seeking funds to continue the present educational program and eliminate

half of the district's operating deficit of approximately \$212,000.

On June 12, 2,241 voters rejected the 5.1 mill tax request 1,173 to 1,043. Subsequently the Michigan legislature increased state aid from \$1.15 million to \$1.91 million. This and other factors gave St. Joseph schools a net income increase of about \$80,000 — the first hike in state aid in years for the St. Joseph school district.

The Board of Education then reduced its special millage request by eight tenths of a mill for the second millage election.

The number of absentee ballots requested for Monday's election is 140 with the deadline falling today. This compares to 50 absentee ballots requested before the June 12 election.

## SJ Students Participate In Workshop

Six St. Joseph high school seniors participated in a two-week drama workshop at Manchester college, North Manchester, Ind., on scholarships from the school's Thespian Troupe.

Attending were Betsy Baker, Pat Donohue, Warren Hildebrandt, David Koehnke, Jeanne Musgrove and Mauricio Sanchez.

At the workshop the students studied the history of the theater along with the technical and production aspects of the theater.

## Tracking Dog Spots Maryland Fugitive

**COLOMA** — A Coloma township laborer, the object of a six-hour search through orchard land southeast of here Thursday, was taken into custody after an additional half-hour search early yesterday afternoon.

Located by a task force including Coloma township police, county deputies, state police from the Benton Harbor and Paw Paw posts, an aircraft and a tracking dog was Robert Ashby Campbell Jr., 36, an employee of a farm on Angling road. He is reportedly wanted in Maryland on charges of larceny and failure to appear in court.

Campbell was located in a clump of shrubbery on the farm where he had worked, by "Mike," the tracking dog, and handler John McKenzie of the Paw Paw state police post.

Campbell had been arrested by Coloma township police last

month, on the Maryland larceny charge, and was returned to Maryland at that time. He was released on personal recognizance by a Maryland district court late last month, with orders to re-appear July 24. He is reportedly now charged with failure to appear on that date, as well as with the original larceny count.

Campbell was spotted Thursday on the Bernard

Bachman farm, Angling road, by township officer James Swisher. He reportedly dashed into an orchard and disappeared as Swisher radioed headquarters for information about his current status. A six-hour search Thursday failed to locate him.

After his capture yesterday, Campbell was lodged in Berrien county jail to await extradition proceedings.

## Students Elected

Two Benton Harbor high school students have been selected members of the American School Band Directors association (ASBDA) honors band.

The students are Diane Naylor (saxophone), daughter of William Naylor, 372 East Napier avenue, and Carol Stanard (clarinet), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stanard, 980 Sierra drive.

The honors band will rehearse at Michigan State university Aug. 2-6 for a concert Aug. 6 at the national ASBDA convention in Lansing.

## Promotions Follow Retirement Of BH Police Lieutenant

Retirement of Benton Harbor police Lt. Alfred Hauwetter has led to two promotions and two reassignments within the department.

Hauwetter, 53, retired June 30, ending 25 years service. He had served as patrolman, detective and shift commander. In 1954, Hauwetter received a city commission citation for bravery for his part

in slaying a crazed gunman who had terrorized the east side of town.

Promoted to the lieutenant slot vacated by Hauwetter was Leon Hardy who turned 38 today. Hardy joined the department in 1956 and moves up from sergeant.

Sam Watson, 34, was promoted from detective to sergeant in the patrol division. Watson has been with the department since 1960, except for 1961-63 when he was in the Army.

Reassigned are Det. Dwight Claustre from youth bureau to detective bureau, and Philipp Schneider from patrol division to detective in youth bureau.

## Tiscornia Park Fire Extinguished

St. Joseph firemen yesterday (11:12-11:32 a.m.) extinguished a grass fire in Tiscornia park with water from tanks of the fire truck. Damage was negligible.

## Music Variety Offered Sunday At SJ Concert

Sunday's municipal band concert will mark the mid-point of this summer's season of outdoor musical presentations at the band shell in St. Joseph.

The hour-long programs will be at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Following an opening march from circus day, "Sells-Floto Triumphant," the band answers a request for music by Prokofiev by playing his three part "Summer Day Suite." This is sub-titled "Music for Children" and the movements are marked waltz, regrets and march. Spanish rhythms of the paco doble are evident in "The Golden Ear" which precedes two numbers by a clarinet quartet of Sue Louiseau, Lennart Olson, Tom Wentworth and director, John Howard.

The very flashy yet melodic "Beguine for Band" and Weinberger's "Concerto for Timpani" are next. Timpani, more commonly called "kettle drums" because of their shape are rarely heard in a solo role, and Philip Binkley will be soloist.

During the year, Brinkley is the band director at Port

## Lawyer 'Critical'

**DETROIT (AP)** — Joseph W. Louisell, noted Detroit criminal lawyer, was in critical condition Friday at a Detroit hospital following a heart attack Thursday.

Louisell, 56, will drop his candidacy for Wayne County Circuit Court Judge, his son, Joseph Jr., said.



LT. LEON HARDY



SGT. SAM WATSON



ALFRED HAUWETTER

## SJ Police Secretary's Wallet Lifted.. At Station

BY RALPH LUTZ  
Staff Writer

St. Joseph police investigated an alleged crime, committed right in their police station late Friday afternoon, and soon afterwards arrested a newcomer to town.

The crime, reported at 4:08 p.m. involved the theft of a wallet from the purse of police secretary Nancy A. Barker.

The suspect was identified by police as Aulon

Gray, Jr., 26, Chicago, who came into the station to apply for a license to drive a taxicab.

Police said Gray brought in an application for a license, but disappeared while a copy was being made. The missing wallet, under the secretary's desk, contained papers and about 55 cents. Police arrested Gray about 4:25 p.m. on Wayne street, and were told that a man had tossed what looked like a wallet

off the Morrison channel bridge. One boater said he saw a man aboard a cabin cruiser trying to net it after it hit the water. The wallet, however, has not been recovered by its owner.

Gray was arrested on a charge of larceny in a building. He stood mute when arraigned before Fifth District Judge John T. Hammond and was lodged in the county jail when he failed to post a \$250 bond.

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"WE SHALL OVERCOME:" With clasped hands, the singing of civil rights anthem "We Shall Overcome" was finale for recognition banquet sponsored by Men of

Pilgrim Rest Baptist church. At speakers' table from left: Mrs. C. W. Gordon, Rev. C. W. Gordon, Mrs. Charles Joseph, her husband, mayor of Benton Harbor;

Charles Evers, mayor of Fayette, Miss., and guest speaker; George Westfield, master of ceremonies, Mrs. Westfield, and Rev. Donald Adkins.

## Mississippi Mayor Hits Busing Foes

*Evers Assails Racism During Appearance At BH Banquet*

By JIM SHANAHAN

BH City Editor

"Black and white together — that's the only way it's going to work."

Charles Evers, mayor of Fayette, Miss., assailed racism in a speech last night in Benton Harbor. He also called for solidarity in the family and chided those who are uptight in Michigan about busing.

"For 49 years, we've been seeing white folks bused. It ain't the busing in Michigan. It's who's being bused," said Evers. "In Mississippi, we not only ride the bus, we drive that bus."

Evers spoke to some 250 persons in the Downtowner restaurant at a recognition banquet sponsored by Men of Pilgrim Rest Baptist church.

His talk was laced with humor and pathos of a struggle for the right of franchise and a fair economic shake. He lamented a society that makes widows out of women like Coretta King and Ethel Kennedy. "Bobby and I were like brothers."

Charles Evers vaulted into national attention after the assassination of his brother, Medgar, NAACP field secretary in Mississippi. Charles took over his brother's job of leading voter registration drives.

A highlight of the evening was presentation of seven community service awards.

Evers said racism of any color is wrong and told how he's running an inter-racial government in Fayette. "If I can do it, you can do it."

"This is not a white man's country. It's not a black man's country. It ain't even the Indians' no more."

Evers called Fayette "the best law and order town in the U.S." and implied that his strong mayor form of government had something to do with it. He's even the judge.

On conjugal relations, Evers noted: "Women love and respect men who are men. Most successful whites got that way because there was a woman behind them."

He attributed the business success of Jews in large part to family solidarity.

Evers went into his early life and told of bootlegging, running policy and prostitution. The black man had to be crooked to make a living in those days, he said.

There are two kinds of power that count, according to Evers: political power and economic power. His recent career

epitomizes both. Evers has lured business to Fayette and tapped federal and foundation funds for civic improvements.

George Westfield was master of ceremonies at the banquet. Entertainment featured the Pilgrim Rest choir and soloist Louis Joseph. Co-chairmen of the event were Melvin Rellis and Rev. Ellis Hull.



MRS. HELEN FORD

## Mrs. Ford Is First Candidate

*BH Woman Running For College Board*

Mrs. Charles (Helen) Ford, former Tri-CAP executive director and now a Benton Harbor school official, Friday became the first to file nominating petitions for a seat on the Lake Michigan college board.

Forrest Kesterke, Berrien county clerk, reported Mrs. Ford filed petitions in his office. The board secretary Donald Eppelheimer, has authorized Kesterke to take them, the clerk said.

Three board seats are open. The incumbents—Dean Kimmerly, Mrs. John (Emily) Foster, and Dr. Bernard C. Radde—have not indicated re-election plans. Filings close Sept. 8. The election is in November.

Candidates run on a non-partisan ballot and terms are six years.

Mrs. Ford, former executive of the Tri-CAP anti-poverty program, is administrative assistant for compensatory education programs for Benton Harbor schools. The Fords live at 1118 Colfax, Benton Harbor



FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE: Seven men received awards for community service from Men of Pilgrim Rest Baptist church at recognition banquet Friday. From left: Will Branscomb, former president of local NAACP; Lester Tiscornia, president of Auto

Specialties Manufacturing company; Elisha Gray II, retired Whirlpool board chairman; Rev. Ellis Hull; Circuit Judge Julian Hughes; Oliver Edwards, worker on many civic projects, and Benton Harbor Mayor Charles F. Joseph. Rev. Hull was co-chairman of the

banquet and knew the identity of six of the winners. The seventh was a complete surprise — himself. (Staff photos)

## Vote Not To Rebel Over Meany's Stand

# State Labor Leaders Divided

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Union leaders in the top council of the Michigan AFL-CIO remain bitterly divided over labor's role in this year's presidential politics but have voted not to rebel at national AFL-CIO president George Meany's refusal to back Democratic Sen. George McGovern.

A 16-13 vote Friday of the

state AFL-CIO board instructed William C. Marshall, council president to formally ask Meany and the national board to reconsider keeping the more than 13-million member union officially neutral in the fall campaign.

There was no vote on whether to endorse McGovern, Marshall said.

"I don't think it's going to

have any impact, I think the decision's already been made," Marshall said after the meeting in a Lansing hotel.

Marshall said the Michigan AFL-CIO will devote its political energy and warchest to backing predominantly Democratic senatorial, congressional and legislative candidates in state races this year.

The position precludes any "endorsement in reverse" drives but leaves the door open for creation of a separate "labor committee for McGovern," Marshall said.

Thomas Turner, president of the Metropolitan Detroit AFL-CIO council, earlier said he would propose creation of a committee by the state council to expose what he called "Pres-

ident Nixon's antilabor record."

Marshall said he refused to accept Turner's motion at the Friday meeting. Marshall said it would have constituted "endorsement in reverse" and would be contrary to state AFL-CIO council powers.

He characterized council leaders as "obviously very divided—there's quite a split,

some want to go with the Teamsters and endorse Nixon—but I don't get upset about it. The guys are free to work as they wish."

The veteran labor leader, a Michigan delegate pledged to U. S. Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey at the Democratic convention, said he expects a national "labor for McGovern committee" to be organized soon.



NIGHT GAME: Tennis has gained in Buchanan since completion of this "Magic Square" near the high school. The \$27,000 project, which contains four basketball courts and two tennis courts, is lighted for

night play. Tennis buffs have been seen playing as late as 4 a.m. The "magic square" was built with about \$22,000 in state recreation bond money, with another \$5,500 from city, school and Clark Equipment company.

It was promoted jointly by the city and school through Buchanan recreational council. (Staff photo)

## Rests Case

DETROIT (AP) — The prosecution rested its case Friday in the trial of three Detroit STRESS officers charged with assault with intent to murder in a March 9 shoot-out with off-duty Wayne County Sheriff's deputies.

## CONTEMPT CHARGE

## Three Oaks Man Awaits Extradition

NEW BUFFALO — A Three Oaks man, Gerald E. Demorrow, 25, is being held in the county jail awaiting extradition to Illinois following his arrest yesterday by state police from the New Buffalo post.

Police said Demorrow was apprehended in Buchanan on a warrant from Vermillion county, Ill., charging him with contempt of court.

Officers said he had been free on bond on an Illinois charge of aggravated kidnapping and failed to appear on court there Monday.



## LEGAL NOTICES

**MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION HELD AT THE COMMISSION CHAMBERS AT THE CITY HALL, ST. JOSEPH, MICHIGAN AT 7:30 O'CLOCK P.M. JULY 17, 1972.**

**PRESENT:** MAYOR SMITH, COMMISSIONERS GAST, HANLEY, SELENT & TOBIAS, HAROLD D. MARSTON, ACTING CITY MANAGER, A. G. PRESTON, JR., CITY ATTORNEY, CHARLES J. RHODES, DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.

**ABSENT:** L. L. HILL, CITY MANAGER.

Harold D. Marston was appointed acting City Manager in the absence of City Manager L. L. Hill.

The minutes of July 10, 1972 were approved as presented.

Report of the vouchers to be allowed July 17, 1972 were submitted as follows:

Band Payroll  
Gen. Vo. Nos. 17094 - 17147, incl. 3,209.25

City Payroll  
Gen. Vo. Nos. 17148 - 17152, incl. 59,474.79

Bills are as follows:

Water Tax 247.32

Roll Trans. 263.45

Commission 19.44

Dir. of Finance 1,723.20

Assessor 28.09

Engineering 66.96

Pub. Hsg. Comm. 320.84

Fire Dept. 368.36

Police Dept. 429.80

Traffic 6.96

Cemetery 152.00

Mun. Bldgs. 147.50

Sewer 293.25

Streets 2,473.20

Curb & Gutter Installation & resurfacing 1-94 BL 28.24

1972 Str. resurfacing 23.81

Water 199.33

Water Filtr. Plt. 618.38

Hsg. Code Enf. Dept. 10.09

Inspection 8.27

Garbage & Rubbish 1,677.91

Parks 575.81

Forestry 5.00

Band 37.50

T.C. Airport 16,400.00

Contingencies 102.85

Gen. Vo. Nos. 17153 - 17200, incl. 26,267.56

88,951.60

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Tobias, moved approval of the foregoing reports and that the Director of Finance be authorized to issue vouchers in payment of the several amounts.

Roll call resulted as follows:

Yeas: Commissioners Gast, Hanley, Selent, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent: None. Motion declared carried.

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Hanley, moved to appoint 53 election workers for the August 8, 1972, General Primary Election at a compensation of \$25.00. The complete list of members by precincts is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

Roll call resulted as follows:

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**RESOLUTION APPROVING SALE OF LAND IN INDUSTRIAL PARK TO INDIANA & MICHIGAN ELECTRIC COMPANY.**

WHEREAS the City Manager of the City of St. Joseph has agreed to sell a triangular portion of land in the St. Joseph Industrial Park, 0.4295 acres bounded by C & O Railroad siding and Kerth Street, to Indiana & Michigan Electric Company, Fort Wayne, Indiana, for the construction of an electrical substation and at a price of \$8,225.00 for land and street paving, and

WHEREAS the Indiana & Michigan Electric Company has agreed to pay said sum upon delivery of an abstract of title showing good and marketable title in the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, and upon delivery of a good sufficient warranty deed duly executed,

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